Church News

OPEN HOUSE AT ST. ANN'S

On Sunday afternoon, July 30, from 2 until 3:45, St. Ann's Episcopal Church will hold an "open-house for all friends and visitors who would care to come to the Church on Oakleigh Street. The congregation of St. Ann's is anxious for all who have not had a chance to see the Church since it was dedicated in April to do so. There will be someone there to greet visitors and to tell them about the Church and to answer any questions.

At 4:00 P. M., following, the Rt. Rev. George Purnell Gunn, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, will confirm several persons into full membership in the Church and all who would care to stay or to come to this service will be welcome. Bishop Gunn will be assisted by the Ven. Norman E. Taylor, Archdeacon, and the Rev. John M. Gessell, Minister-in-Charge of St. Ann's. The order of worship will be the service of Evening Prayer and Confirmation.

Ordination of Deacons

Seven new deacons will be ordained at the Sunday evening worship service of the Liberty Baptist Church. The Rev. W. M. Thompson, a former pastor, will deliver the sermon and the Rev. G. E. Hagher, pastor of Hebron Baptist Church, will deliver the charge. The Rev. J. Marshall Walker will preside.

Those to be ordained are W. M. Elliott, Dean Conner, John Taylor, Thomas Smith, Charles McCormick, A. R. Harwood, Jr., and C. C. Poe.

Board of Stewards

The Board of Stewards of Memorial Methodist Church will meet at the church at 8 P. M., Wednesday, August 2. It is hoped that all members will be present.

Rev. Black To Preach At Memorial Church

The Rev. Jack Black, of Lynchburg will be the guest minister at Memorial Methodist Church, Appomattox at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. on Sunday, July 30.

Memorial Methodist Church

Appomattox, Virginia
R. Carl Maxwell, Minister

9:45 A. M., Sunday School. Claude W. Smith, Superintendent.

11:00 A. M., Morning Worship. Sermon by the Rev. Jack Black. Adult Choir.

8:00 P. M. Evening Worship. Sermon by the Rev. Jack Black. Youth Choir.

Nursery at 11 A. M.
A cordial welcome to all.

Revival At Spout Spring

Rev. W. E. Cullers

The Rev. W. E. Cullers will be the guest preacher at a revival to be held at the Spout Spring Baptist Church from Monday, July 31, through Friday, August 4. Services will begin each evening at 8 o'clock with a song service. During the week of the revival, a Vacation Bible School will be held each morning at the church. Miss Hazel Moon will assist with the school. She is a Southern Baptist missionary and a member of the Spout Spring Baptist Church. For the past three years she has been serving at a mission station in Africa as a nurse. She is now at home on furlough.

The Rev. G. Edward Hughes is pastor of the Spout Spring Baptist Church. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

St. Ann Episcopal Church

The Rev. John M. Gessell,
Minister-in-Charge.

Sunday, July 30

11 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

2-3:45 P. M. Open House for all friends and visitors.

4 P. M. Evening Prayer and Confirmation. The Rt. Rev. George Purnell Gunn, D. D., Bishop of Southern Virginia assisted by the Ven. Norman E. Taylor and Mr. Gessell. Bishop Gunn will preach and confirm.

Hebron Baptist Church

G. Edward Hughes, Minister

Sunday, July 30, 1950

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11:00 A. M.
Training Union at 7:30 P. M.

Britain plans to send soldiers to Korea to aid Yanks.

Philadelphia Phillies cling to lead in National League.

Concord R 2

Concord, Route 2, July 26.- No rain today (Wednesday). Need sunshine for the wheat has not been combined or threshed; also oats. Some farmers were lucky to get this done before the rainy season started, which was July 4th.

The revival is in progress at the Bethel Methodist Church this week.

The revival will start at Hebron Baptist Church August 6, for a week.

Miss Ann Thomas has been visiting her sister and family in Richmond. She returned home Sunday with Miss Virginia Herndon, W. E. Bondurant, Jr. and Kelly Stratton. They motored down Sunday morning.

Misses Louise Cabell and Alice Harris and Mrs. B. H. Moore, of Lynchburg were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Cabell for the week-end, near Gala Mill.

Miss Kitty Cabell, of New York City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cabell, expects to sail July 26th on the DeGrasse ship for a two month tour of Europe.

Quite a number around here attended the birthday and family reunion for Mrs. Lillie Chick Drinkard at her home last Sunday.

Little Miss Betty Jane and Master John Alvis, III are spending two weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mathews, in Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thompson and children, Pete and Sally concluded a several week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stratton and returned home last Thursday to Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stratton left Monday for a week's trip to New York City and Canada.

Friends of Mr. Henry Routon will be glad to hear he's improving at the Va. Baptist Hospital.

Phone 30 with Personals.

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President signs arms aid bill

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...Demonstration Agent's ...week of August 7-12: ...day, Aug. 7- The Rocks home ...tion club will meet at 2:00 ...Mrs. Rhomy Wilson. The ...ration will be stenciling of ...

...Wed., Thurs., Office and 4-...work and contests.

...day, Aug. 11.- The Liberty ...me demonstration club re-...meeting and picnic will ...the home of Mr. and Mrs. ...ster. All members and their ...es invited to attend and to ...nic supper.

...day, August 12.- Miss Iva ...nson, Extension Clothing ...ist, will meet with the leaders ...A. M. in the office of the ...ent. Miss Johnson will give ...nstration on clothing acces-...the leaders will give this ...nation at the September ...ings.

...day, August 12.- The Glen-...me demonstration club will ...recreational meeting and ice ...cal at Fallen River school ...P. M.

...w Record ...t in Va. ...urist Trade

...ond, Aug. 2.- Officials of the ...ia Travel Council estimated ...ast Virginia's tourist income ...is year will equal $300,-...an all-time high in the ...of the state. Virginia's mo-...vel has broken all records-...out-of-state, the Council said ...the last eighteen consecutive ...s out-of-state passenger cars ...increased in number over the ...ponding month of the pre-...ear. The Council, a volunteer ...non-profit agency promoting ...was formed twenty months ...

...Council advised members to-...in a bulletin that national ...ency conditions probably ...increase even the anticipated ...e of vacation and tourist trav-...facilities for the traveler have ...ed an estimated 100 per cent ...World War II, with an in-...in motor court facilities of ...per cent last year and an esti-...increase of 20 per cent or ...this year.

...illions of dollars in new in-...catering to the out-of-...visitor are being made in Vir-...at this time, "Commander Ray-...B. Bottom, of Newport News, ...dent of the Council, pointed ..."Virginia is well on the way ...aining the Virginia Travel ...ncil's immediate objective of a ...billion dollar travel trade dur-...the first five years of its ...ation. It may come sooner."

...ball Game at Pamplin

...ville will play at Pamplin on ...day, August 5, at 3:30. This is ...ville's league game. ...mplin, in third-place in the ...s, divided a pair of games with ...-leading Republican Grove ...week-end.

These Reservists from the 786th and 787th Field Artillery Group from Virginia are undergoing two weeks training with the 11th Airborne Division at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. Having a dry run on a 105-millimeter howitzer are (front row, left to right) Cpl. Robert T. Hoke Newport News, Va.; Pvt. William F. Ferebee about to insert shell, Hampton, Virginia; and Cpl. Charlton G. Edmonds, Newport News, Virginia.
Back Row, left to right, Pvt. Leonard T. Franklin Copland Parl Cpl. Thomas E. Hardaty whose face is hidden, from Newport New Va.; and Pvt. A. F. Suggs of Charlottesville Va.

Loca Team Lost 2 Games At Hampton

Appomattox's American Legion baseball team lost out in the zone play-offs at Hampton last week-end. Appomattox lost to Hampton by a 6 to 1 score and to Norfolk by a 10 to 3 tally. The Hampton game was close for 4 innings until Appomattox came up with costly errors enabling Hampton to score 5 runs on two hits. Appomattox loaded the bases in five different innings, but smart left-handed pitching kept Appomattox runners from crossing the home plate.Raymond Mitchell started on the mound for Appomattox and was the losing pitcher.

Norfolk had too much experience and too good a ball team for the Appomattox boys in the other game. Norfolk got 16 hits and scored 10 runs. Calvin Tanner pitched the entire game.

Appomattox had won the fourth district championship last Tuesday by downing Hopewell 9 to 0.

The local boys greatly enjoyed the overnight trip to Hampton. The American Legion and the boys' team wishes to thank all those who helped raise a fund to finance the trip to Hampton. Coach Gorden Bragg guided the local team to its creditable showing and was not downhearted by the losses.

MOORE REUNION

The Moore family reunion was held Sunday, July 30, at the old home pleace, near Stonewall.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Curry Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore and family, Mrs. Carnie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jennings and family; Mrs. J. A. Oaks, of Pamplin; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fitch, of Pamplin; Miss Alice Jennings, Miss Martha Jennings, and sister, Claudine, of Spout Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Franklin, Spout Spring; Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin and family, Mrs. T. D. Franklin, of Gladys; Miss Mildred Morgan, of Stonewall; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ashworth, of Spout Springs; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Goulden and family, of Lynchburg; Mrs. LeRoy Williams, of Spout Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Winfree Wilks and family, of Spout Springs; Mrs. E. D. Jennings, of Spout Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jennings, of Spout Springs; Miss Tolly, of Big Island; Mrs. J. D. Rayon, of Concord; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mays, of Concord; Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Burge, of Hopewell; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burge and family, of Concord; Mr. Herbert Reid, of Lynchburg; Miss Lula Hall, of Lynchburg; Mrs. Etta Stanley, of Lynchburg.

FARM BUREAU

M. A. Hubbard, of the Virginia Farm Bureau Federation will meet with the Appomattox County Farm Bureau at the Court House on Monday, August 7. at 8:00 P. M.

Seven Polio Cases Listed For County

Appomatto County's polio cases stood at seven today, two additional cases have been listed over the week-end. The two latest cases are: Linda Mann, 2 years old, of Spout Spring; and Clyde Nuckols, 4 years old, of Appomatox.

Linda Mann is the daughter of William Edward Mann, of Spout Spring.

Two polio cases in one family were listed, as Betty and Clyde Nuckols, children of Lonnie Nuckols, of Appomattox, were both under treatment at the Medical College of Virginia Hospital, at Richmond.

Playground Activities

The teams are playing closely in the 15 and under baseball league on the local playgroup. The standings:

	W	L
Dodgers	13	11
Red Sox	13	11
Indians	11	13
Yankees	11	13

There will be a night game between two "all-star" teams during the second week in August.

Starting August 7, a softball league for boys will be organized at the playground.

The swimming program is being held up due to the polio cases in Appomattox County. It is hoped that the program can be resumed at a later date.

The singles tennis tournament is scheduled to be completed by August 7, so that doubles play can start.

Jay Stewart Gets College Scholarship

The Granville P. Meade State scholarship for deserving young men who desire to attend college has been awarded to Riley J. Stewart, a recent graduate of the Appomattox High School. Announcement of the award was made today by J. A. Burke, Division Superintendent of Schools in Appomattox County. Supt. Burke explained that the award is made on a regional basis and that young Stewart is one of twelve successful applicants in the entire state.

While enrolled in the Appomattox High School, Stewart was a leader in the local chapter of the Future Farmers of America. His accomplishments in Future Farmer work were recognized in 1949 when he was awarded the coveted American Farmer Degree at the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri. He also holds the degree of State Farmer in the Virginia Association of the Future Farmers of America.

The Granville P. Meade scholarship is the largest private scholarship program in Virginia, according to Dr. Dowell J. Howard, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. According to Dr. Howard the fund provides $500 for the first year in college and $400 for each of the succeeding three years. If the recipient makes an outstanding record it is possible for him to receive a total of $1700 during four years of college study.

Stewart was selected for the scholarship on the basis of his scholastic achievement, financial need, character, intellectual capacity, ability to render service in his community and earnestness of purpose. Final selection was made by a scholarship board of control, consisting of the Governor of Virginia, State Commissioner of Agriculture and State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Thos. A. Smith Passes Engineering Exam

Thomas A. Smith, son of Mrs. L. E. Smith, has been notified that he successfully passed the State Board examination for Civil Engineering, and is now a registered civil engineer in the State of Virginia.

He was one of those taking the examination during June.

School Program Progressing

A program of repairing, renovating, altering and enlarging, costing up to $40,000 is being carried on at this time in Appomattox County and will be completed before the schools open next month.

The following schools are involved in this program:

Oakville, white
Vera, white
Canaan, colored
Mt. Airy, colored
Spout Spring, white
Spout Spring, colored
Stonewall, colored
Evergreen, white
Pamplin, white
Roadside, colored.

It is hoped that the cost of this program can be held below the $40,000 selling. The work being done following a school by school tour of a citizens' committee of patrons and is in line with the recommendations of this committee.

The schools in the county are being closed. The white school at Stonewall, a two-teacher school, will not operate this year. The pupils in that area will go, part to Oakville, and part to Concord. Also, the Agee and the Browns (Pamplin) Negro schools will be closed. The 9 pupils of the Browns school will attend at Appomatox; those at Agee will go to Canaan. There were some 55 pupils at Stonewall white school.

In the meantime, local school authorities advise that bids will be asked soon on the new Carver High School here. In a race against time to get construction started before a possible "freeze" on new buildings due to war-time emergency, the local school leaders have been delayed on this project by complications of availility of sufficient land on the Carver High School campus. Plans for the new school are now in the final stages of approval and it is hoped that bids can be called for in the immediate future and the contract let. The final plans may make acquisition of additional land necessary. The arrangement of existing buildings on the limited Carver campus was a retarding influence in setting up blueprints for the new school, which has long been classified as the most pressing building emergency in the county's school system. Major portion of funds to be available for this county under grants from the Battle School program, will go to the Carver project.

As a result of several mass meetings an advisory committee of citizens was set up to consult with the school board, superintendent, and supervisors as to a suitable building program for Appomattox schools. A tour of county school plants and a series of conferences resulted, and as of now the program shapes up as indicated above: a repair and general improvement job on a number of both white and colored elementary schools, and the building at the Carver High School.

Replacement of the Agriculture Building and Shop at the Appomattox High School is proceding, and it is believed this project is safely beyond any slow-down which might follow a war emergency. This project is not tied in with the "Battle Plan Program" as it is a replacement for a building lost by fire last fall.

SKYLINE LEAGUE

SKyline League Standings
As of July 31

	W	L	Pct.
Appomattox	16	6	.701
Bedford	14	7½	.666
Brookneal	14	10	.580
Roanoke	11	11	.500
Altavista	11	12	.478
Buena Vista	9	11	.450
Amherst	9	13	.409
Buckingham	5	18	.217

Games this week:
Bedford at Appomattox, Thursday Aug. 3, at 8:00 P. M.
Saturday, Aug. 5-
Roanoke at Appomattox, 8 P. M.
Buena Vista at Buckingham, 3 P. M.
Brookneal at Amherst, 3 P. M.
Altavista at Bedford, 8 P. M.
Sunday, Aug. 6-
Altavista at Brookneal, 3 P. M.
Buckingham at Amherst, 3 P. M.
Roanoke vs. Buena Vista.

Last week-end the Lee Theatre Green Sox lost to Altavista on Friday night, 7 to 5. Robert Toney was the losing pitcher, Saturday night the Green Sox defeated the Brookneal team, here, by a score of 12 to 3. Charlie Mitchell hurled 6-hit ball.

The following postponed games have been rescheduled for the Green Sox:
Saturday, August 12, 8 P. M., Altavista at Appomattox.
Sunday, August 13, 3:15 P. M. Buena Vista at Appomattox.
Thursday, August 17, 8 P. M., Bedford at Appomattox.
Saturday, August 19, 3:30 P. M. Appomattox at Buena Vista.

New Markers Placed Here

Two new historical markers have been set up in Appomattox County Va. Conservation Commission. One is located at the present court house and the other at the Confederate Memorial Cemetery.

The one at the present county court house reads a long-felt need. Many tourists have visited the new court house and left, thinking they had seen the spot where the War Between the States ended in 1865. The marker tells of the moving of the court house to its present site in 1892.

Wide Food Variety On August Market

Food markets will offer plenty of cabbage, carrots, Irish potaoes, and locally grown vegetables in August, V. P. I. marketing specialists said today in reporting USDA's plentiful foods list for the month.

Locally grown vegetables will include corn, okra, tomatoes, beets, and sweetpotatoes.

The Salinas Valley of California will ship carrots heavily and New Mexico—in 1949 the fourth ranking carrot shipping area —will start harvesting by the first of the month.

Cabbage supplies will come from such widely scattered areas as Georgia, New York, Illinois, Wisconsin, Colorada, and from local farms and gardens. Watermelons also will be marketed heavily in August.

Best supplies in meats will be found in hens, broilers, fryers, and fish. Milk, eggs, and processed dairy products such as butter, cheese, evaporated milk, and cottage cheese, are among other protein foods in abundant supply.

For use in desserts, or for breakfast waffles or hot cakes, the marketing specialists recommend honey, another plentiful food for August.

Cadet Garrette Takes Training Course

Cadet Garland B. Garrette, of Appomattox was among those attending the Air Force ROTC at Langley Air Force Base, Virginia, and completed his six weeks training period July 29.

Cadet Garrette is a student at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, at Blacksburg, Va.

On graduation from college in June, 1951, he will be a candidate for a commission as Second Lieutenant, United States Air Force Reserve.

Draft Call For 14 Men August 17

Appomattox County Local Draft Board No. 8 has received a call for 14 men to be delivered for Pre-Induction examinations on August 17, 1950. These men will be notified of their call within the next few days.

The board also makes this announcement:

"Any male person nineteen to twenty-five years of age inclusive, residing within the jurisdiction of a local board, is a delinquent if he has failed to register, or if he has failed to perform any act or duty lawfully required of him by the local board. If a registrant or a person required to present himself for and submit to registration fails to perform any duty prescribed by the Selective Service law, within the required time, he shall be liable to fine and imprisonment . . imprisonment for not more than five years or a fine of not more than $10,000.00, or both fine and imprisonment.

"Failure of a registrant to perform any act or duty because he did not receive the communication from his local board is no excuse, provided, the local board mailed the communication to the last known address of the registrant. The registrant is required to keep his local board informed at all times of his current address."

MRS. ELLA TOPPING

Mrs. Ella Ouida Swann McQue Topping, 71, died at her home near Pamplin Wednesday night, following an illness of eight weeks.

Born in this county June 1, 1879, she was the daughter of the late Stephen Alexander and Ella Walker Jenkins Swann. She was a member of the Mathews Baptist Church, where she was active in religious work. Her first husband was the late John H. McQue.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. Nathan S. Topping; one brother, H. B. Swann, of Bluefield, W. Va.; and three sisters, Mrs. C. C. Rosser, of Pamplin; Mrs. Ray Young, of Prospect, and Mrs. Colyer S. Parks, of Pamplin.

Funral services will be held from Mathews Baptist Church, Hixburg, Friday afternoon at three o'clock. Interment will be made in the Swann family cemet ery. Mrs. Topping will lie in state at the church from two o'clock until time for the service.

Wheat Allotments For New Farms

In commencing work to set 1951 wheat acreage allotments, Bennett Harding, PMA County Chairman, announced that new wheat farms must make application if they expect to get wheat allotments for 1951.

He explained that new wheat farms are those on which no wheat was seeded for harvest in any of the years 1948, 1949, or 1950. To be considered for an allotment for next year's crop, such farms must apply in writing to the PMA County Committee by September 1, 1950.

Mr. Harding said that the land for which an allotment is requested must be suitable for wheat production and the producer must show that his system of farming or the established crop rotation is such as to require wheat.

Under the present law, not more than 3 per cent of the 1951 county acreage allotment may be apportioned for new farms.

TEEN-AGE REPORT

The Jolly Teen - Agers held a regular meeting July 25, at the Masonic Hall.

A covered dish supper was enjoyed. There were two new members, and one visitor.

The next meeting will be held the second Monday in August. All girls from the age of 13 to 19 can join the club.

—Reporter: Ruth Shupe.

Gifts For Local Museum

The National Park Service has received several gifts for exhibit in its museum at the Appomattox Surrender Grounds. Mrs. Wallace Streater, of Washington, D. S. gave a copy of the Great Seal of the Confederate States of America. It is of metal, four inches in diameter, in a leather case, and is accompanied by photostatic copy of a letter from the maker of the original seal, J. S. and A. D. Wyon, of London, attesting to its accuracy.

Mrs. Daisy K. Morris, of Lexington, Va., sent a Book of Common Prayer which had belonged to a relative who was a prisoner of war.

U. S. will use troops if needed in Germany to thwart any communist uprising.

Senate votes for a ten per cent tax on television sets.